

What is College Readiness Symposium?

Aligned with CMC's mission, the purpose of CRS is to develop independent learners through a positive school climate and prepare students for success in their post-secondary path.



College Readiness Symposium Days are designed to:

- Set a welcoming school context, focusing on inclusiveness and acceptance of all students and families.
- Provide opportunities for students to form positive relationships with teachers, staff and peers in **support of a positive school culture**.
- Helping students to clarify, understand, and communicate their purpose—their WHY—as students at CMC and as future college students.
- Enhance student achievement and affirm identity by helping students evaluate and reflect on their own skills, interests, and accomplishments and then make plans to improve.
- Include the entire CMC Community, including parents and students in Pathways to College and CEO programs, in the school-wide events at CMC.

College Readiness Symposium Days are designed to:

- Increase engagement of community and business partners in college and career readiness events and learning opportunities.
- Present opportunities for students to learn from local business partners and community members about a wide array of careers and how to **link career aspirations with educational goals.**
- Offer time for students to visit with local college and university representatives to **learn more about college**, such as admission requirements, degrees offered, financial aid, housing and more.
- **Promote student health and wellness** through various workshops designed to educate, motivate and empower students to adopt healthy behaviors and lifestyles.
- Provide opportunities for students to **participate in community service projects** in the local community. Community service or volunteerism enables students to acquire life skills and knowledge, as well as provide a service to those who need it most.

Health & Wellness Symposium 2023

WHEN: Friday, September 29th

WHAT: A fun day where ALL CMC students learn about health and wellness in the morning followed by a field trip to Silver Falls State Park! We will go on 1-2 mile hike where we will hike behind a waterfall and discover rainforest ecology, wildlife and habitats.

WHAT'S NEXT: Return signed permission slips to Crystal by next <u>Wednesday (September</u> <u>27th)</u>. There is no cost for this trip.

PLAN AHEAD: Dress in layers and bring a raincoat (it is a rainforest); sturdy, closed-toed shoes are best for hiking.



Sack lunches provided.